

June 22, 2025

10:00 AM

# BECOMING LIKE CHRIST – MAKING HIM KNOWN



## COME WORSHIP THE LORD!

### PREPARATION OF OUR MINDS

*(Entering worship, let us prepare our hearts, reflecting on this.)*

*When we turn to the Bible, we discover an ugly truth about ourselves: the reason we feel alienated from the people around us—the reason I sometimes feel alienated from myself—is because we’re alienated from God. Our horizontal alienation is indicative of a far more serious vertical alienation. – Alstair Begg*

### WELCOME & LIFE OF THE CHURCH

**June Scripture:** Psalm 37:5, 7

Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this.  
Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him.

### PRAISE TO AN AWESOME GOD

### CALL TO WORSHIP: Galatians 6:9-10

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers.

### INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER (debts)

#### \*GLORIA PATRI

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen.*

Hymnal #805

#### \*THE PEACE

\*HYMN: “O Worship the King”

\*OLD TESTAMENT: Psalm 119:1-24

Hymnal #29  
Bible p.607

### PRAYER TO A LISTENING SAVIOR

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

#### OFFERING SENTENCE AND PRAYER

**OFFERTORY:** The Sherman Church Choir  
(Children are dismissed for Sunday School)

#### \*DOXOLOGY:

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost*

Hymnal #808

\*HYMN: “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

Hymnal #552

### PREACHING THE WORD

**SERMON:** “Welcome Home”  
Luke 15:11-32

Rev. Brian Prue

### PROCLAIMING THE GLORY OF CHRIST

\*HYMN: “Christ for the World! We Sing”.  
POSTLUDE

Hymnal #743

(\*Congregation, please stand if able.)

COME GATHER FOR FELLOWSHIP  
FOLLOWING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

### OUR CHURCH:

#### Interim Pastor:

Rev. John Loring Carpenter

#### Ministers:

The Congregation

#### Minister of Music:

Carolyn Kopsick

#### Moderator:

Charles Mastroni

#### Flowers:

Megan Tlasky

#### Announcements:

Aimée Suhie

#### Prayers of the People:

Cindy Moschitta

#### Reader:

Ken Moschitta

#### Coffee Hour Host:

Cindy Moschitta

#### Nursery:

Jill Finch

#### Usher:

Sue Barbarotto

### CALENDAR

June 22 - 28th

(Links for online meetings may be found at [shermanchurch.org](http://shermanchurch.org))

#### Sunday:

**Worship Service** at 10 A.M.  
(Also Live Streamed)

#### Wednesday

AA at 7:00 P.M FH

#### Thursday

#### Prayer In The Parlor

at 6:45 P.M  
(See dial-in Info. on the back of the bulletin)  
AA at 7:00 P.M FH

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## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- Eliza Capehart, serving in the United States Air Force.
- John Langworthy, back injury.
- Brian Barnier, health.
- Jim Beddows, health.
- Nicole Thorp, health.
- Amos Munch, health.
- Jim and Christine Munch, health.
- Roberta Judd, health.
- Christopher Siebert, healing of foot.
- Rev. Daniel Morton, health
- Mark Gerber, health
- Betty Freeman, health
- Chris Freeman, Strength in the care of her mother
- Walter V., healing from back surgery (Friend of Laura Baxter)

## OUR MISSIONARIES:

Mesa Global: Robert & Nina Bruneau; 4C Church Re-Planting: Green Mountain Church, Chester, VT.; Lion of Judah Academy, Hope Academy of the Bronx.

**DEACONS** of the church are always available to meet with you, pray with you, and hear your concerns.

## PRAYER IS ALWAYS OUR MISSION

Prayer is a vital part of our ministry at The Sherman Church.

You are invited to join in prayer each Thursday to pray for our church on a telephone conference call by **Dialing 667-770-1484; when prompted use access code 357664#.**

You may also make a prayer request anytime by calling the church office. Our Church Administrator will ensure the prayer request is communicated to our Pastor and Deacons. Outside of office hours (9:00 AM – 2:00 PM) or for an emergency prayer or pastoral request contact the Chair of Deacons ([deacon@shermanchurch.org](mailto:deacon@shermanchurch.org) or 860-921-1952) or the Pastor ([pastor@shermanchurch.org](mailto:pastor@shermanchurch.org) or 860-350-5151). Let us join together in prayer!

**FIRE EXITS** are located at the rear of the sanctuary through the double doors and at the front through the doors on both sides of the altar.

## THE SHERMAN CHURCH

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